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SUBJECT: UNITED STATES CONFECTIONERY QUOTA

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CONSULTATIONS DATED MARCH 15, 1974

1. IN THE ENACTMENT OF PL 92-138, THE SUGAR ACT AMENDMENTS OF 1971, WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 1972, A PROVISION WAS INCLUDED (SUBSECTION 2 OF SECTION 7) REQUIRING THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE TO LIMIT THE QUANTITY OF SWEETENED CHOCOLATE, CANDY AND CONFECTIONERY (PROVIDED FOR IN ITEMS 156.30 AND 157.10 OF PART 10, SCHEDULE 1 OF THE TARIFF SCHEDULES OF THE UNITED STATES) IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED STATES EACH YEAR TO THE LARGER OF (1) AVERAGE ANNUAL IMPORTS DURING THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THREE CALENDAR YEARS OR (2) FIVE PERCENT OF ANNUAL SALES OF UNITED STATES CONFECTIONERY MANUFACTURERS SALES IN THE MOST RECENT CALENDAR YEAR. SUBSECTION 2 ALSO APPLIED TO CHOCOLATE CRUMB, A PRODUCT SUBJECT TO QUOTA CONTROLS PREVIOUSLY IMPOSED UNDER SECTION 22 OF THE AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT, AS AMENDED, TO PREVENT IMPORTS FROM MATERIALLY INTERFERING WITH THE PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAM FOR DAIRY PRODUCTS ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. DETAILED INFORMATION CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE IMPORT CONTROL PROGRAM FOR CONFECTIONARY PRODUCTS UNDER SUBSECTION 2 IN 1972 IS CONTAINED IN THE UNITED STATES NOTIFICATION

CIRCULATED ON JANUARY 28, 1972, TO THE GATT CONTRACTING PARTIES (L/3660). WITH THE EXPIRATION OF PL 92-138 ON DECEMBER 31, 1974, SUBSECTION 2 ALSO EXPIRED WITH THE RESULT THAT THE IMPORT REGULATIONS INSTITUTED IN DECEMBER 1971 TO IMPLEMENT THAT PROVISION NO LONGER APPLY.

2. THE EXPIRATION OF SUBSECTION 2 DOES NOT, HOWEVER, AFFECT THE IMPORT CONTROL PROGRAM FOR CHOCOLATE CRUMB IMPOSED UNDER SECTION 22 AND IT CONTINUES IN EFFECT WITHOUT CHANGE.

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3. US MISSIONS GENEVA AND PARIS ARE REQUESTED TO INFORM GATT AND OECD SECRETARIATS. OTHER ADDRESSEES SHOULD INFORM HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AS APPROPRIATE. KISSINGER

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